

### UNION PICNIC

The Laborers Protective Union of Charlottetown will hold a grand picnic on the beautiful grounds of McLean Bros., adjoining

### North Wiltshire Station

### DOMINION DAY

Saturday, July 1st

Proceeds in Aid of the Union Sick Benefit Fund

Tables well supplied with all the delicacies of the season will be provided and a saloon well stocked with temperate drinks.

Amusements of various kinds including dancing booths, swings, baseball, etc., will be arranged for.

No prizes will be spared to make this a grand day's outing. Seventh Regiment Band in attendance.

A special train will leave Charlottetown at 8:35 a. m., returning will leave North Wiltshire at 6 p. m.

Stations Fares Train Departs

Ch'town 45c 8:45 a. m.

Rocky Point 35c 8:50

Milton 20c 9:02

Colville 10c 9:12

North Wiltshire arrive 9:20

Return tickets at one single first class fare will be issued from all stations to North Wiltshire, by all regular trains.

JAS. CLINTON, Secretary-Treasurer Com.

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### Excelsior Life Insurance Company,

Head Office, Toronto,

Some Salient Features from Report of 1904.

Insurance in force \$7,645,998.30

increase, 24 per cent, \$1,474,192.85

New Insurance issued \$2,238,157.00

increase, 26 per cent, \$609,958.75

Cash Income, Premiums, \$283,546.51

increase, 26 per cent, \$57,566.00

Total Expense, Payments to Policy-holders, etc., \$166,931.19

Interest Revenue alone more than pays Death Claims

Death Claims during year \$38,817.00

Rate per 1,000 means Insurance in force 5.56 per cent.

Average annual Death Rate 14 years, 2 1/2 mos—3.54 per 1000

The lowest rate on record for any Company of same age

Reserve (being in excess of Govt. standard) \$744,074.49

increase, 23 per cent, \$139,719.12

Total Assets for Policy-holders security, bal., \$1,253,216.05

\$1.67 for every dollar of liability, including Reserve.

Net Surplus on Policy-holders Account \$184,141.56

Reserves for seven years on Hm. table, Interest at 3 1/2 per cent.

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### DOMINION DAY

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Excursion Return. Tickets will be issued at one way first class local fare to I. C. R. points in Nova Scotia on June 30th, July 1st and 2nd good to return not later than July 4th.

On Saturday July 1st Excursion Return Tickets will be issued to Pictou good to return same day at one dollar.

F. W. HALES, Secretary

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### FRENCH EXCITED OVER POSSIBILITY OF WAR

Military Circles Busy Comparing Their Strength and Germany's—France Has 530,000 Men Ready, and Can Double and Treble Them at Short Notice—All Depends on Response to Rouvier's Note.

PARIS, June 24.—For the first time since the Fashoda incident, the French public is in the throes of the war fever.

Whether it will result in anything serious depends on Germany's response to the French note on Morocco; but without considering the exact status of the diplomatic negotiations a considerable element of the public and press seriously discuss the possibilities of a resort to arms.

Army circles are particularly active and at the military clubs the officers are mainly engaged in making comparisons of the forces of France and Germany.

While the financial leaders scout the idea of war, yet the speculative element has been quick to seize the opportunity to raid French rentes which, they closed tonight, showed a fall of one franc eight centimes within the week.

The official view is that the situation while delicate, does not present any aspect of danger or a crisis involving the rupture of relations. This is the governmental view and naturally prevents the most favorable aspect of the controversy. However, the ambassadors of the leading powers express impartial opinions fully sustaining the view of the government.

It is only just pointed out in diplomatic quarters that the worst aspect of the Moroccan question does not present a casus belli. An analysis of the controversy shows that the Sultan of Morocco invited the powers to a conference. Germany urges the powers including France, to accept. Premier Rouvier's latest note shows the willingness of France to consider a conference, if Germany explains her purpose, but even should France decline to accept this, refusal of her invitation does not constitute a cause for war.

The controversy serves to call attention to the complete state of readiness of the French military system to meet any emergency. The present peace footing of the army is 530,000 men. This force is organized on an elastic basis whereby the doubling and tripling of the strength of each company doubles and triples the aggregate army.

The first and second reserves are made up of trained men who heretofore have completed the military service which the state requires of them to complete. The equipment of the reserves is always kept in readiness at the barracks.

Military experts say that the calling of the first reserves to the colors would probably furnish an immediate force approximately of a million trained men, and thereafter the second reserves and the territorial militia, would permit of much further expansion.

The system of mobilization and equipment has undergone great improvement as the result of lessons learnt during the last war. Annual manoeuvres which concentrate mobilization on a small scale are frequent and tests of mobilization occur in various districts in which the full strength of horses, wagons, trains and equipment are quickly assembled.

This military preparedness is cited as evidence that France is not likely to again suffer from the confusion and delay at the beginning of the last war.

La Liberté tonight began the publication of a series of articles from the frontier, showing the excited state of public feeling and the activity of the military forces, which are alleged to be constantly drifting and undergoing inspection.

The diplomatic situation remains unchanged as Germany has not yet presented her answer to the French note. Officials say the negotiations are taking the usual normal course without, at present, any indication of a marked change. It is definitely known that the French ambassador to Germany was cordially received by Chancellor Von Buelow on Friday. This is considered to be a most reassuring symptom of Germany's conciliatory intentions.

### WATER IN YOUR BLOOD.

Lots of people have thin watery blood—they eat plenty but don't digest. When digestion is poor, food isn't converted into nourishment—in consequence the body rapidly loses strength. To positively renew health, nothing equals Ferrozone. It excites sharp appetite, makes the stomach digest, forms life-sustaining blood. Abundant strength is sure to follow. If you need more vitality, extra energy, better nerves, then use Ferrozone, the medical triumph of the age. 50c a box, or 6 for \$2.50, at all medicine dealers, or Polson & Co., Hartford, Conn., U. S. A., and Kingston, Ont.

### MEETING WITH SUCCESS.

OTTAWA, June 25.—The Department of Marine and Fisheries states that Mr. Cowie and his Scotch experts for hearing curing, after meeting with great success in the Maritime Provinces. This fall they will go to British Columbia.

### Whoooping Cough in Jamaica

Mr. J. Riley Bennett, a chemist of Brown's Town, Jamaica, West India Island, writes: "I cannot speak too highly of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. It has proved itself to be the best remedy for whooping cough, which is prevalent on this end of the globe. It has never failed to relieve in any case where I have recommended it; and grateful mothers, after using it, are daily thanking me for advising them." This remedy is for sale by all druggists.

### Cuban Diarrhoea.

U. S. soldiers who served in Cuba during the Spanish war know that this disease is, and that ordinary remedies have little more effect than so much water. Cuban diarrhoea is almost as severe and dangerous as a mild attack of cholera. There is one remedy, however, that can always be depended upon as will be seen by the following certificate from Mrs. Minnie Jacobs of Houston, Texas: "I hereby certify that Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy cured my husband of a severe attack of Cuban diarrhoea, which he brought home from Cuba. We had several doctors but they did him no good. One bottle of this remedy cured him, as our neighbours will testify. I thank God for so valuable a medicine." For sale by all druggists.

### DROWNED WHILE BOATING.

AGUSTA, Me., June 25.—James A. Bumford, aged 60, was drowned this afternoon by the overturning of a boat in Togus stream. Two companions clinging to the boat and drifted ashore. Bumford could not swim. The body has not yet been recovered.

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